SENATE RESOLUTION 142 By Bryson

A RESOLUTION to commend Sarah Ramage for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Ramage is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Jim Bryson; Sarah's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Vanderbilt University, where she was highly regarded by her peers, Ms. Ramage achieved academic success, including gaining recognition on the Dean's List, while majoring in English Literature, minoring in Political Science, and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including serving on the Vanderbilt Habitat for Humanity executive board, participating in Student Volunteers for Science, standing on the Vanderbilt Programming Board, and training for half-marathons; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her lifelong studies, Sarah brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2006 session of the One Hundred Fourth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2006 legislative session, she has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern. Ms. Ramage earned special commendation for her efforts on behalf of Mr. Gilbert Gnarley, a constituent and friend of Senator David Fowler; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Ramage has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Sarah Ramage for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jim Bryson and the constituents of Senatorial District 23 and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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